

Community Services Department

FALL
2006

The Town of Buckeye Community Services Department will be hosting the following programs and activities for the months of September, October and November.

The Mission of the Community Services Department is to preserve, protect and provide the programs, facilities and parks that enhance the quality of life in Buckeye.

Letter From The Director Jeanine Guy:

We have had some exciting firsts and continuing successes to celebrate this quarter. The beautiful addition to the library – a new programming room - is open and being very well used by the 896 children and teens enrolled in the summer and teen reading programs.

The entire community celebrated with the Arizona Diamondbacks as we dedicated the 20th Diamondbacks Player Field – the Craig Counsell Field at the Earl Edgar Recreation Complex. I was flooded with memories as I watched the ceremonies. I remember the first year that Little League was organized in Buckeye – one son played on a minor league team, and two of my sons were on the “Pirates” major team. Many, many happy family times were spent on those fields. When the first official game was played on the Craig Counsell Field the following evening, a new era began for many families creating special memories.

And last, but certainly not least, we have dedicated and held the ribbon cutting ceremony for the first recreation center in the Town of Buckeye – the Dr. Saide Recreation Center. Over 600 children and adults are enrolled in recreation and special interest classes this summer. This will be the first of many facilities, but will always be special because of the hard work and dedication from many people who worked together to complete this project. We talk about legacy a lot in our department and I am both pleased and confident that the projects we have been able to accomplish this year will have a positive effect on our community for many generations.

Now I would encourage you, if you are not already a participant, to come and join a special interest class, play on a sports league or visit your library and see the exciting offerings there. Become part of the community and help develop the type of space and place you want to live in.



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Looking for a great way to advertise your business or organization to all Buckeye residents? Place an ad in the quarterly Town of Buckeye Recreation Brochure. Contact Miranda Bearden at 623-349-6353 or mbearden@buckeyeaz.gov



Special Events

FRIDAY FLICK'S

All movies will take place at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center, 1003 E. Eason Ave. Movies will be shown on a 180 sq. ft. screen with state-of-the-art surround sound! Children 9 years and under must be accompanied by an adult for PG rated movies. 12 years and under must be accompanied by an adult for PG-13 rated movies. Beverages, goodies and popcorn will be available for purchase from the concession area. Seating is limited, so feel free to bring your own chair or bean-bag. All flick's begin at 7:30 p.m. and are FREE! For more information, contact Jennifer Urbaszewski-Grono at 623-349-6352.

Adventure Series

August 25 **"Pirates of the Caribbean"** (PG-13)
September 8 **"Pink Panther"** (PG)
September 22 **"Around the World in 80 Days"** (PG)

Mystery & Suspense Series

October 13 **"Corpse Bride"** (PG)
October 20 **"Signs"** (PG-13)
November 10 **"Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire"** (PG-13)

BUCKEYE BICYCLE RODEO & FAMILY BIKE RIDE

The Town of Buckeye Recreation Division has partnered with Verrado and the Buckeye Police Department to host a bicycle safety clinic for cyclist's ages 5 - 12. The rodeo will feature bike safety inspections, optional quick tune-ups, helmet fitting, a safety lecture about the rules of the road, followed by a ride on a miniature "chalk street" obstacle course where young cyclists are shown where and how to apply the rules. Prizes will be available to participants wearing helmets! Families may also enjoy a family bike ride along Verrado's scenic washes where desert plants and inspiring views await you. This event is FREE! For more information, contact Jennifer Urbaszewski-Grono at 623-349-6352.

Date: Saturday, August 12
Time: 9:00 a.m.
Location: Verrado Middle School



JAVA & JAZZ

The Friends of the Buckeye Public Library will host **Java and Jazz**, a Dinner & Silent Auction on **Friday, September 22** on the beautiful grounds at Nardini Manor, located on Jackrabbit Trail, east of Buckeye. The evening will feature a grand dinner, live jazz entertainment, a silent auction, and a live auction with spectacular and unique items. Proceeds of this event will be used to "Jazz up" the library with an internet café and other great improvements. For more information, please contact Cheryl at (623) 349-6302 or csedig@buckeyeaz.gov.

HALLOWEEN SPOOKTACULAR

Games, contests and lots of candy await festival goers at the Town of Buckeye's Halloween Spooktacular. This event features all kinds of goulsh fun including a "Tent of Terror", giant inflatables, carnival style games, a costume cat walk, crazy cars, bingo and much, much more. Come in costume and bring your finished jack-o-lantern for the carved pumpkin contest. All proceeds go to benefit the Buckeye Youth Scholarship Fund and local non-profit groups that will be running the booths. For more information, contact Jennifer Urbaszewski-Grono at 623-349-6352.

Date: Tuesday, October 31
Time: 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Location: Town Park (9th St. & Monroe)
Fee: 25¢ - \$2 (varies per booth)



11th ANNUAL HOMETOWN HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE & FAMILY FUN IN THE PARK

Over 100 vendors will be selling wonderful country crafts, antiques, jewelry, candles, woodcrafts, holiday ornaments and decorations, dolls, gifts, quilts and much more! While you shop you can enjoy delicious homemade pies, cinnamon rolls, and soup in bread bowls. Plan to join us for a fun shopping experience and don't miss taking home an armload of wonderful books at the Friends of the Library Book Sale. For more information contact Cheryl Sedig at 623-349-6302 or csedig@buckeyeaz.gov

Date: Saturday, November 18
Time: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Location: Buckeye Public Library

BUCKEYE ANIMAL CLINIC

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COMMUNITY SERVICES

Before & After School Program/Toddler Programs

The Town of Buckeye will be offering convenient before and after school care at Buckeye Elementary School District facilities. The program will include daily activities such as arts and crafts projects, games, sports and homework time. An afternoon snack will be provided. **This is a state licensed program.** Contact Miranda Bearden at 623-349-6353 or mbearden@buckeyeaz.gov.

- **Early registration is recommended.**
- Children will be placed in age appropriate groups for activities
- Registration must be done through the Town of Buckeye's Community Services Department located at 1003 E. Eason Ave. Registration fee and first week's payment will be due at time of registration. **Cash or Check ONLY**
- **Immunization Records are required at time of registration**
- This program is licensed by the Department of Health Services.



Locations:

Sundance Elementary
23800 W. Hadley Rd.

Bales Elementary
25400 W. Maricopa Rd

Buckeye Elementary
640 Centre

West Park Elementary
(Coming in January)



Dates:

August 3, 2006-May 25, 2007 (Monday-Friday)

Times:

Before Care: 6:00 a.m. - Start of School

"K" Extended Day: 8:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. **or**
11:00 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.

After Care: End of School - 6:30 p.m.

Registration Fee:

One time registration fee of \$25 plus first week of program fee.

Program Fees:

Before Care - \$20/Week **or** \$5/Day

"K" Extended Day - \$45/Week **or** \$10/Day

After Care - \$45/Week **or** \$10/Day

Weekly program fees will be due every Friday the week before attendance. A \$10 late fee will be charged for any payments made after the program fee due date.

Registration can be done at the Dr. Robert A. Saide Recreation Center located at 1003 E. Eason Ave. and will remain open until filled Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. **Immunization Records must be provided at time of registration.**

COMMUNITY SERVICES

Lil' Squirts Play Time at Dr. Saide Recreation Center

Lil' Squirts Play Time is a fun and exciting program that will provide a great learning environment for your toddler. This program offers recreational learning activities that will help to enhance your child's basic social, developmental and educational skills. Lil' Squirts Play Time is the perfect environment for your child to learn, grow and make friends as they participate in various activities such as arts and crafts, group games, creativity development, music, imaginative play and developing language skills.

Registration Information

Registration will begin
Monday, August 21, 2006
at 8:00 a.m. Each class can hold up to 25 participants. Children must be fully toilet trained and able to feed themselves. Registration is first come first serve and must be done in person at the Recreation Office located at 1003 E. Eason Ave. Contact Miranda Bearden at 623-349-6353 for more information.

Program Dates: September 11 - 29, 2006

October 2 - 31, 2006 (NO Class October 16-20, 2006)

November 1 - 30, 2006 (NO Class November 23-24, 2006)

December 1 - 15, 2006

Program Times: AM Class: 8:00 am - 11:00 am
PM Class: 11:30 am - 2:30 pm

Program Fees: September: \$75 **Location:** Dr. Saide Recreation Center
October: \$135 1003 E Eason Ave
November: \$160
December: \$90

Participants: Toddlers ages 3 - 5
Participants must be 3 years of age by time of registration and toilet trained.



Special Interest Classes

Kicks 4 Kids

This class introduces soccer to toddlers. Children can have fun in a non-competitive environment while learning basic soccer skills. Classes provide individual coaching and encouragement, great exercise and lots of fun for a parent and child. Parent involvement is required. Fee includes a T-shirt.

Resident: \$50 Non-Resident: \$60

Class: September 16-October 21 (Saturdays)

Ages: 2-5 yrs. of age

Times: 9:00-9:45 a.m.

Location: Dr. Saide Recreation Center
1003 E. Eason Ave.

Kicks 4 Kids II

This is the advanced class which combines skills like dribbling, passing, heading & defense with actual soccer scrimmages.

This class will help prepare kids for a youth soccer team. Participants should be able to do most activities without their parents.

Please wear athletic shoes and bring water. Shin guards are optional. All participants get a T-shirt & medal.

Resident: \$50 Non-Resident: \$60

Class: September 16-October 21 (Saturdays)

Ages: 2-5 yrs. of age

Times: 10:00 - 10:45 p.m. (6-12)

Location: Dr. Saide Recreation Center
1003 E. Eason Ave.

Basics for Beginners

Children will learn the fundamental skills for playing sports such as catching, kicking and throwing with help from an instructor and their parents. This class will help to build hand-eye coordination and teach children social skills along with sportsmanship.

Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45

Class: September 9 - September 30 (Saturdays)

Ages: 2-5 yrs. of age

Times: 10:00-10:45 a.m.

Location: Town Park
207 N. 9th St.

Lil' Tike's Tumbling

Children will learn body awareness and fine tune motor skills, while developing strength and coordination through summersaults, hand stands and more!

Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45

Class: September 11-October 19
October 23-November 29
(Mondays & Wednesdays)

Ages: 4-6 yrs. Of age

Times: 5:30-6:30 p.m.

Location: Dr. Saide Recreation Center
1003 E Eason Ave.

Baby Signs®

Parent Workshop (TM)

This workshop is specially designed for parents of children from birth to 24 months and will teach you all you need to know to begin using the Baby Signs Program at home. Two decades of research have proven that using the Baby Signs Program - reduces frustration and builds trust, allows babies to share their worlds, strengthens the parent/infant bond, reveals how smart babies are, helps babies learn to talk, boost babies' self confidence, promotes positive emotional development.

Per Res.: \$70 Per Res. Couple: \$80

Per Non-Res: \$80 Per Non Res: \$90

Class: Tuesday, September 14

Tuesday, October 24

Tuesday, November 7

Ages: 6 mo. - 3 yrs. of age

Times: 6:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Location: Dr.Saide Recreation Center
1003 E. Eason Ave.

Open Sew Class

This workshop is specially designed for

Resident: \$10 Non-Resident: \$20

Class: Saturday, August 12

Times: 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Location: Dr.Saide Recreation Center
1003 E. Eason Ave.

Chenille Throw

Using flannel or homespuns create this snuggly throw. All level quilters are welcome.

Resident: \$30 Non-Resident: \$40

Class: September 23, 2006

Times: 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Location: Dr.Saide Recreation Center
1003 E. Eason Ave.

Rag Quilt

Quick, fun and easy. This quilt is for everyone! All level quilters welcome.

Resident: \$30 Non-Resident: \$40

Class: November 4, 2006

Times: 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Location: Dr.Saide Recreation Center
1003 E. Eason Ave.

Christmas Wallhanging

Make this fun wallhanging to add to your holiday decor! All level quilters welcome.

Resident: \$30 Non-Resident: \$40

Class: November 4, 2006

Times: 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Location: Dr.Saide Recreation Center
1003 E. Eason Ave.

**For more information on
Special Interest Classes,
contact Miranda Bearden at
623-349-6353 or
mbearden@buckeyeaz.gov.
SIC registration forms can be
found on page 11.**

New Holiday Catalog available!

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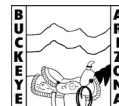
Call PartyLite Consultant Sara

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Office Phone: 623-594-4669 or

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Tong Che Bahk Do- Beginning Class

Tong Che Bahk translates to "Way of Striking" and is a well rounded street essential martial art. Training promotes growth mentally and physically. Students will learn humility, respect, will, confidence, will and courage through mental training. Physical training is done through forms, drills, one step-sparring, and self defense techniques from a wide variety of attacks.

Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45

Class: September 5-September 28
October 3-October 26
November 2-November 30

No Class November 23

(Tuesdays and Thursdays)

Ages: 6-12 yrs. of age

Times: 4:15-5:00 p.m.

Location: Dr. Saide Recreation Center
1003 E. Eason Ave.

Tong Che Bahk Do- Advanced Class

Tong Che Bahk translates to "Way of Striking" and is a well rounded street essential martial art. Training promotes growth mentally and physically. Students will learn humility, respect, will, confidence, will and courage through mental training. Physical training is done through forms, drills, one step-sparring, and self defense techniques from a wide variety of attacks.

Resident: \$40 Non-Resident: \$50

Class: September 5-September 28
October 3-October 26
November 2-November 30

No Class November 23

(Tuesdays and Thursdays)

Ages: Intermediate: 6 - 12 yrs. of age

Adults 13 & up

Times: Intermediate: 5:00 -6:00 p.m.

6:00 - 7:30 p.m. (Adult)

Location: Dr. Saide Recreation Center
1003 E. Eason Ave

Pilates

Pilates is a total body conditioning exercise method combining flexibility and strength - helping you to become long, limber and strong. A key principal of Pilates exercises is an emphasis on developing the body's "core strength", the muscles encompassing the abdomen, lower back, hips and buttocks. These muscle groups are referred to as the body's "powerhouse". All Pilates exercises originate from the powerhouse, which is where all daily movement originates, not just in the limbs.

Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45

Class: September 6-September 27
October 2-October 30
No Class October 9

November 1-November 30

(Mondays and Wednesdays)

Ages: 14 yrs. of age and up

Times: 5:15-6:00 p.m.

Location: Dr. Saide Recreation Center
1003 E. Eason Ave.

Totally Tennis

This tennis program is co-sponsored by the USA Team Tennis and will teach the basic racquet handling skills in a "match" atmosphere to allow full participation. All equipment is provided.

Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45

Class: September 13 - October 18
(Wednesdays)
September 16 - October 21
(Saturdays)

Ages: 5 and up

Times: **Wednesdays:**

5:30-6:30 p.m. (4-7 yrs.)

6:30-7:30 (8-10 yrs.)

Saturdays:

8:00 - 9:00 a.m. (5-9 yrs)

9:00 - 10:00 a.m. (9-12 yrs)

11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. (13 & up)

Location: **Wednesdays:**

Bales Elementary

25400 W. Maricopa Rd.

Saturdays:

Buckeye High School

902 Eason Ave.

Hip Hop and Jazz

Introduction to dance, music and creativity for the beginning dancer. This class will combine aspects of tumbling, beginning jazz and ballet while helping to develop motor skills, rhythm and movement. Children will perform at the completion of the class.

Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45

Class: September 11-October 19
October 23-November 29
(Mondays & Wednesdays)

Ages: 6-12 yrs. of age

Times: 8:00-8:45 p.m.

Location: Dr. Saide Recreation Center
1003 E. Eason Ave.

Sign, Say & Play (TM)

This is a six week Baby Signs® program designed especially for parents and their 6 months to 3 year olds. Fun games, songs and activities highlight important developmental skills. Sign, Say & Play classes provide you with: relaxed and fun times with your baby, opportunity to meet and spend time with friends, in-depth understanding of Baby Signs® program, easy way to learn and practice signs, fun activities to stimulate growth in your baby's motor development, cognitive development, language and literacy development, social and emotional development.

Resident: \$140 Non-Resident: \$150

Class: September 7 - October 12
(Thursdays)

Ages: 6 mo. - 3 yrs. of age

Times: 10:00-10:45 a.m.

Location: Dr. Saide Recreation Center
1003 E. Eason Ave.

Breakdancing

Participants will learn elements of 'breaking' and fundamentals of hip hop. Dancers will learn how to break dance and/or improve their developed skills and abilities.

Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45

Class: September 5-September 28
October 3-October 26
November 2-November 30

No Class November 23

(Tuesdays & Thursdays)

10 yrs. of age and up

7:30-8:30

Location: Dr. Saide Recreation Center
1003 E. Eason Ave.

Getting Fit With Mr. Ortiz

A balanced exercise program, which will include exercise that will improve strength, stamina, and flexibility. Also, will promote psychological well-being and improve resistance to any health disease caused by not exercising our body.

Resident: \$45 Non-Resident: \$55

Class: September 6-September 29
October 2-October 30
November 1-November 29

No Class November 24

(Monday, Wednesday, Friday)

Ages: 5-14 yrs. of age

15 and up

Times: 6:00-7:00 p.m. (5-14)

7:00-8:00 p.m. (15 and up)

Location: Dr. Saide Recreation Center
1003 E. Eason Ave.

Instant Piano For Hopelessly Busy People

Some music teachers may not want you to know this, but you don't need years of weekly lessons to learn piano. In just a few hours, you can learn enough secrets of the trade to give you years of musical enjoyment. Learn all the chords you'll need to play any song in this one session.

Resident: *\$20 Non-Resident: *\$30

Class: Saturday, September 23

Times: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Location: Bales Elementary
25400 W. Maricopa Rd.

*Materials fee of \$26 + tax will be collected in class by instructor for workbook and 60 minute practice CD or cassette.

Dance Combo

Introduction to dance, music and creativity for the beginning dancer. This class will combine aspects of tumbling, beginning jazz and ballet while helping to develop motor skills, rhythm and movement.

Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45

Class: September 11-October 19
October 23-November 29
(Mondays & Wednesdays)

4-6 yrs. Of age

6:30-7:30 p.m.

Location: Dr. Saide Recreation Center
1003 E Eason Ave.

COMMUNITY SERVICES



Senior & Adult Programs

For more information on Senior and Adult Programs, contact Phil Yabes at 623-349-6604 or pyabes@buckeyeaz.gov

Community Center - Senior Program

Seniors are you looking for something to do with your time? Did you know that the Buckeye Community Center has a variety of social & recreational activities, classes, programs and special events just for seniors? Programs/Activities include monthly outings, exercise classes and equipment, arts and crafts and more. The Town of Buckeye Senior Program is Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 5:00 pm. The program is open to seniors 60 and older and there is no fee to participate in our program. The Senior program is located inside the Town of Buckeye Community Center located @ 201 E. Centre Avenue.

Monthly Outings

Arizona Casino Outings

Take a bus ride with the senior program as they visit one of Arizona's casinos. A different casino is visited each month and transportation is provided.

September	Gila River Wild Horse Pass
October	Apache Gold Casino
November	Mazatal Casino

Mystery Trips

Exploring the valley of sun without knowing where you are going. Seniors with a sense of adventure should take part in our monthly mystery trip and go on a different undisclosed trip each month.

Special Programs:

Every month the senior program offers special events just for the participants. Holiday theme parties, guest speakers and performers, ice cream socials and more are just a few special programs the center offers.

Exercise/Fitness Classes & Programs

The Buckeye Community Center Program offer varies exercise & fitness classes throughout the year. Starting August 1, seniors and adults 18+ will have access to exercise equipment between the hours of 8:00-5:00 pm Monday-Friday. For more information regarding exercise equipment, please contact the Community Center staff.

Computer Lab/Reading Room:

The Buckeye Community Center/Senior Program now offer a computer lab & reading room for its participants. The room will be open Monday – Friday 8:00 am. – 5:00 pm. Keep on the look out for upcoming computer classes and more.

Buckeye Adult Program:

Calling all baseball fans, the Buckeye Adult Program will be heading out to the old ball park on Monday, September 11 as the Arizona Diamondbacks take on the Washington Nationals. Tickets are available for participants 18 years and older @ \$13.50 per person and are located in section 111. Tickets are limited so sign up today. Participants must be 18 years of age or older.

Social Services

For more information on Social Services, contact Dahlia at 623-349-6601.

Town of Buckeye Community Action Program (CAP)

The Buckeye Community Action Program (CAP) offers programs to assist citizens to become self-sufficient while they are experiencing a financial hardship or crisis in their lives.

SERVICES FOR THOSE MEETING BASIC CAP REQUIREMENTS IF FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE

Utility Assistance

Temporary assistance with utility bills

Rent/Mortgage Assistance

Assists with past due rent or mortgage payments to avoid eviction or foreclosure

First Month's Move-In Costs

Assists those in need of first month's move-in costs including rent and utility deposits

Telephone Assistance

Assists those in need of monthly assistance with telephone bill based on medical need

Food and/or clothing referrals

Case Management

Homeowners

URRD Utility repair or replacement of an existing utility related appliance system

Utility Deposits

Weatherization Utility Repair and Replace

Energy audit to determine cost-effective measures and identify safety issues. If you have a cooler or AC Unit, stove, refrigerator, or other appliance that is not working properly and your think you might meet our income guidelines, call us to get further information on our programs, there may be help for you.

CALL (623) 349-6600 AND ASK FOR THE Community Action Program for eligibility and intake information.

Do you know of a senior citizen that lives on a fixed income who may need our assistance? Refer them to us.

In order to best serve the community, clients will be seen on a first come first serve basis. Request for Services forms are available for pickup prior to screening days.

Clients will be screened for eligibility on Mondays only.
Screening Times 8:00am – 11:30 am
1:00pm – 4:00pm

Food handlers testing will be held at the Buckeye Community Center on Wednesday, September 13 from 8:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

This is a service for those in the food service industry and for those who serve food to the public on a volunteer basis. (example: church, snack bar for any Little League, Pop Warner or 4-H, FFA, etc.). Charge for cards for people in the food service industry is \$16.00 for the first card and \$3.00 for each card after that. **They will accept cash and exact change only.** No checks or credit cards. There is no charge for Volunteer Cards.

For the study booklet you may go to <http://www.maricopa.gov/envsvc> and go to environmental health services and then to food service worker training or you can pick up a copy of the booklet at the Buckeye Community Center front desk. Please call 623-349-6600 to sign up for the testing by Monday, September 11 or contact Sue Mros at smros@buckeyeaz.gov.

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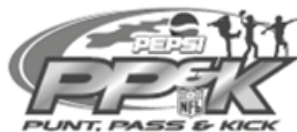
Youth & Adult Sports



PEPSI - PUNT, PASS & KICK

Football fans ages 8 -15 can drop-in and demonstrate their skills in punting, passing and kicking with scores based on distance and accuracy. Top scores in each age/gender group will receive placement ribbons and advance to the Sectional Competition, and have the opportunity to advance to state competition at the **NEW Arizona Cardinals Stadium**. On-site registration will be taken the day of the event. This event is **FREE!**

Date: Saturday, September 23
Time: 9 a.m. – 11 a.m.
Location: Earl Edgar Recreation Complex



YOUTH BASEBALL & SOCCER

The Town of Buckeye Recreation Division is offering baseball for youth ages 5 - 13, and soccer for youth ages 5 - 10. These programs emphasizes fun, maximum participation, skill development, teamwork, and sportsmanship. A registration fee of \$40 for Buckeye Residents / \$50 for Non-Residents will be accepted at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center, 1003 E. Eason Ave. Please include a copy of your child's birth certificate upon registration. The registration fee will include 7 scheduled games, team jersey, cap (baseball only), shin guards (soccer only) and a participation award. Division of play is determined by player's age as of October 7, 2006. **Registration deadline is September 8.**

Dates: Saturdays, October 7 – November 18
Time: 8 a.m. – 2 p.m.
Fee: \$40 Resident / \$50 Non-Resident

League	Division	Age	Location
T-Ball	Pee Wee	5-7	Verrado Middle School Earl Edgar Fields
Coach Pitch Baseball	Midget	7-9	Verrado Middle School Earl Edgar Fields
Fast Pitch Baseball	Rookie	9-11	Earl Edgar Fields
Fast Pitch Baseball	Junior	11-13	Earl Edgar Fields
Soccer	Pee Wee	5-7	Verrado Earl Edgar Fields
Soccer	Rookie	8-10	Verrado Earl Edgar Fields



WHEN ARE PRACTICES? Practices will begin after September 20. The exact site, day(s) and time(s) will be determined by the volunteer coach.

WHAT IF I WANT TO COACH? Indicate your desire to coach on the child's registration form. If you do not have a child playing in the program, call 623-349-6352 and request a coach's information packet.

WHEN DO COACHES MEET? Volunteer coaches are required to attend the coaches meeting , Monday, September 18 at 6:30 pm at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center. Coaches will be subject to background checks and expected to attend the National Youth Sports Coaches Association Training.

WHEN IS THE PARENT MEETING? As a first-time registrant, a parent **MUST** attend the parent orientation scheduled for Wednesday, September 20 at 6:30pm at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center.

ADULT SOFTBALL

League information and roster forms can be picked up at the Recreation Center or downloaded from our website www.buckeyeaz.gov. The registration is \$250 per team for all leagues. Both leagues can accommodate up to 8 teams. Registration will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis. The registration **deadline is Monday, October 9.** Manager's Meeting is at 6:00p.m. Tuesday, October 10, 201 E. Centre Ave. League play begins the week of **October 15.**

League	Division	Age	Location	Games	Times
Softball	Men's "D"	18+	Earl Edgar Fields	Tuesdays	6pm-10pm
Softball	Coed "D"	18+	Earl Edgar Fields	Fridays	6pm-10pm

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Buckeye Public Library
310 N. 6th Street
Buckeye, AZ 85326
623-349-6300

Library Programs & Services

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Yard Sale: The Buckeye Public Library holds a yard sale on the third Friday of every month. Proceeds from the yard sale fund library programs and materials. Donations are accepted daily during regular library hours.

When: The third Friday of every month
Time: 7:00 am – 11:30 am

Where: Buckeye Public Library
310 N. 6th Street

Library Hours:

Mon, Wed, Fri - 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Tues, Thurs - 9:00 a.m. - 8:30 p.m.
Saturday - 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Preschool Story Time: Preschool aged children are invited to join us for our free and exciting 45 minute program which includes stories, songs, crafts and snacks. We will present a new theme each week and Tuesday's stories will be repeated on Wednesdays.

When: Every Tuesday and Wednesday
Time: 10:15 – 11:00 am

Where: Buckeye Public Library 310 N. 6th St

Teen Advisory Board Meetings: Attention teens ages 12 – 18! Become an active supporter of your library and join the Teen Advisory Board. Help design and run library programs for teens, volunteer for library events, and help create and contribute to a library newsletter written by teens for teens. Member meetings are held monthly. Ask to join at the circulation desk.

When: The third Thursday of every month
Time: 4:00 – 4:45 pm

Where: Buckeye Public Library 310 N. 6th Street

Card Making Classes: Kids, teens and adults, join us for fun and creative "make-and-take" classes on stamping and card making. Each session will include materials and instructions for making three creative greeting cards. The cost is \$1.00 per card for kids and \$2.00 per card for adults. Space is limited. Sign up at the circulation desk.

When: Thursday, September 21
Thursday, October 26
Thursday, November 16

Where: Buckeye Public Library
310 N. 6th Street

Time: 5:00 – 6:00 pm (Kid's session ages 9-15 or ages 5-8 with parent help)
6:30 – 8:00 pm (Adult session ages 16 and up)

September is Library Card Sign-Up Month: Drop in at the Buckeye Public Library this month to sign up for a free library card and receive a book bag and bookmark. You do not have to be a Buckeye resident to sign up for a library card. All you need is a picture ID and proof of your current address.

When: During the month of September
Time: Regular Library Hours

Where: Buckeye Public Library 310 N. 6th St

Origami for Kids: Children ages 8 and up are invited to join us for a free hands-on origami class. It is the art of Japanese paper folding and we will be making elephants, shirts, boats and more!

When: Thursday, September 14th
Time: 4:00 – 5:00 pm

Where: Buckeye Public Library
310 N. 6th Street

For more information on library programs contact Cheryl at 623-349-6302 csedig@buckeyeaz.gov



Java and Jazz Dinner and Silent Auction: The Friends of the Buckeye Public Library will host a dinner and silent auction on the beautiful grounds at Nardini Manor. The evening will feature a grand dinner, live jazz entertainment, a silent auction and a live auction with spectacular and unique items. Proceeds of this event will be used to "Jazz Up" the library with an internet café and other new improvements. For more information, please contact Cheryl at (623) 349-6302 or csedig@buckeyeaz.gov.

When: Friday, September 22nd

Where: Nardini Manor
5601 S. Jackrabbit Trail
Buckeye, AZ 85340

T-Shirt/Jean Painting: Attention kids ages 8 and up! Bring in a t-shirt or a pair of jeans you would like to add some style to! We will provide the fabric paints, brushes and ideas.

When: Tuesday, October 17th

Time: 4:00 – 5:00 pm

Where: Buckeye Public Library
310 N. 6th Street

Bedtime Stories: Children of all ages and their parents are invited to the Buckeye Public Library, after hours, for a program of stories and treats. Dress in your favorite pajamas and bring a pillow or stuffed animal to lie on while you listen to a collection of wonderful bedtime stories.

When: Friday, November 3rd

Time: 7:00 – 7:45 pm

Where: Buckeye Public Library
310 N. 6th Street

Teen Poetry Slam: Teens ages 12 – 18 are invited to our first poetry slam to celebrate Teen Read Week. Bring in poetry you have written or poetry by your favorite author to share. Refreshments will be served.

When: Tuesday, November 14th

Time: 6:00 – 7:00 pm

Where: Buckeye Public Library
310 N. 6th Street

11th Annual Hometown Holiday Boutique and Family Fun in the Park: Over 100 vendors will be selling wonderful country crafts, antiques, jewelry, candles, woodcrafts, holiday ornaments and decorations, dolls, gifts, quilts and much more! While you shop you can enjoy delicious homemade pies, cinnamon rolls, and soup in bread bowls. Plan to join us for a fun shopping experience and don't miss taking home an armload of wonderful books at the Friends of the Library Book Sale.

When: Saturday, November 18th

Time: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

Where: Buckeye Public Library
310 N. 6th Street

Dr. Saide Recreation Center & Teen Programs

Open Recreation

Calling all youth and teens ages 10 – 17 to check out the newest after school hangout at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center. The Teen lounge features an 8 ft. pool table, air hockey, foosball, ping pong, X-BOX 360 on a flat screen TV, computers, and those old favorite board games. There is no registration fee. A picture ID and a \$2 deposit is required to checkout games and/or equipment. If you don't have an ID, we'll make you one! For more information, contact Jennifer Urbaszewski-Grono at 623-349-6352.

Day(s): Mondays – Fridays
Time: 4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Saturdays
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Teen Scene: Pumpkin Ball

Are you looking for a ghoulishly good time? Come join the ghosts and goblins for an evening of haunted games and creepy music. Remember to wear your costume! Prizes such as a Playstation 2, music CD's, movie passes, gift certificates and much more will be awarded. Contact Miranda Bearden at 623-349-6353 or mbearden@buckeyeaz.gov for more information.

Date: Friday, October 27, 2006

Time: 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Location: Dr. Saide Recreation Center – 1003 E. Eason St. Buckeye, AZ 85326

Admission Fee: \$3.00 per person

Teen Scene: Winter Formal

Enjoy an enchanted evening as you dance under the sparkling stars amongst your friends. Participate in our very 1st crowning of the Holiday King and Queen. Picture packages will be available between \$10 and \$40. A formal dinner will be served and each person will receive a gift bag. Tickets will be available at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center October 16, 2006. Contact Miranda Bearden at 623-349-6353 or mbearden@buckeyeaz.gov for more information.

Date: Friday, November 17, 2006

Time: 6 p.m. - 9 p.m.

Location: Dr. Saide Recreation Center – 1003 E. Eason St. Buckeye, AZ 85326

Admission Fee: \$20.00 per person / \$30.00 per couple

Teen Scene: Coming Soon to YOUR Campus!

Be on the look out for the Town of Buckeye's Teen Scene Team at your school during your lunch hour. Teen Scene will provide various games such sumo wrestling, jousting coupled with music from a live DJ! Contact Miranda Bearden at 623-349-6353 or mbearden@buckeyeaz.gov for more information.

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Contact Jennifer Urbaszewski-Grono for more information on Outdoor Programming at 623-349-6352 or jurbaszewski@buckeyeaz.gov

Outdoor Programming

CACTUS CHACHA TRAIL RUNS

The Town of Buckeye Recreation Division has partnered with the Cactus Chacha Trail Runs to provide a 3 and 7-mile trail run in the White Tank Mountain Regional Park. The runs meander near and along the foothills including long gradual ascents and descents, as well as, several short climbs and dips. Although both courses are formidable, all levels of runners and hikers are welcome. A \$200 cash prize will be awarded to the new 7-mile course record setter(s)! Registrations forms can be picked up at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center, 1003 E. Eason Ave. or can be downloaded at www.cactuschacha@cox.net. Contact race management for more information at 623-535-0860.

Date: Saturday October 14
Registration: 6:30am
Time(s): 7:15am 3-mile run start
7:30am 7-mile run start
Location: White Tank Mountain Regional Park
Competitive Track
Fee: \$20 / 3-mile run (Mini Chacha)
\$25 / 7-mile run (Full Chacha)

HIKING ADVENTURES

Do you want to experience the great outdoors? Cy Newell is a trained guide who has selected a series of spectacular water hikes for beginning, intermediate and advanced hikers.

Horton Creek

A lovely hike along the Horton Creek at the base of the Mogollon Rim. The walk includes waterfalls and spectacular fall colors. It offers an easy stroll up an old road and a moderate climb up stream along the creek.

Date: Saturday, October 14
Registration Deadline: Thursday, October 12
Location: Christopher Creek, near Payson
Approximate Hiking Time: 4.5 hours
Level of Difficulty: Moderate
Elevation Gain: 1,100 ft.
Distance: 7 miles round trip

Contact Dave Showen for more information on Parks and Fields Reservations at 623-349-6605 or dshowen@buckeyeaz.gov

Wet Beaver Creek

This hiking adventure will take you deep into the Mogollon Rim. Wet Beaver Creek is ideal for families and hikers of all skill levels. The deep pools of clear water and lush riparian landscape is this arid desert terrain will captivate aspiring photographers. Definitely bring your swimsuit and sunscreen!

Date: Saturday, November 11
Registration Deadline: Thursday, November 9
Location: Mogollon Rim, Sedona
Approximate Hiking Time: 3 hours
Level of Difficulty: Easy
Elevation Gain: 3,820 – 4,100 ft.
Distance: 6 miles round trip



Parsons Trail

Bring Binoculars on this easy trail into the beautiful Sycamore Canyon Wilderness. The riparian fringes of Sycamore Creek attract colorful wild birds. You could be the next "Steve Irwin!" The trail is located near the town of Jerome. After the hike, plan to have lunch at the Haunted Hamburger.

Date: Saturday, November 25
Registration Deadline: Wednesday, November 22
Location: Sycamore Canyon Wilderness, Cottonwood
Approximate Hiking Time: 4 hours
Level of Difficulty: Easy
Elevation Gain: 3,600-3,800 ft.
Distance: 7.4 miles round trip

HIKE INFORMATION

Participants taking part in day hikes are required to bring: two quarts of water per person (minimum), a sack lunch, day pack to carry lunch, hiking shoes and appropriate clothing. Pre-registration is required. Youth under 18 years of age MUST be accompanied by an adult. Hikes include an educational adventure. Hikes are limited to the first 10 people registered. Transportation is not included. It is the responsibility of the participant. For more information on day hikes, including times, call Hike Guide Cy Newell at 602-686-0385 between 4pm-8pm.

Park Information

RAMADA RESERVATIONS

Ramadas are available for reservation at Town Park and Kell Park. There is no charge to reserve a ramada.

ATHLETIC FIELDS

Effective May 1, 2006 the cost to reserve each athletic field will be as follows:

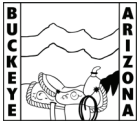
With lights: \$20/hour (2 hour minimum)
Without lights: \$10/hour (2 hour minimum)

These fees will help to offset the cost of utilities and will allow us to upgrade the fields.

PARK UPDATES

The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Hassayampa Field Office is preparing an Environmental Assessment (EA) that will describe potential environmental impacts resulting from the approval of a 9,200-acre, approximately 17 square mile, land acquisition in the southern White Tank Mountains. The purpose of the project is to establish the Town of Buckeye White Tank Mountain Regional Park. The need stems from intense growth in the west valley and an increased demand for open space and recreational activities. The land is currently managed by the BLM and would be leased with the intent to provide patent to the Town of Buckeye (which is similar to selling the land to the Town of Buckeye) through the authority of the Recreation and Public Purposes Act.





Youth Sports & Special Interest Classes Registration Form

Please include a copy of your child's birth certificate.

Registration forms may be mailed in or dropped off at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center located at 1003 E. Eason Ave., Buckeye, AZ 85326. (623) 349-6350
Check, cash or money order is accepted. Please print when completing the information below.

Parent/Guardian Last Name: _____ Parent/Guardian First Name: _____

Address: _____ City/State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Day Phone: _____ Evening Phone: _____ Mobile Phone: _____ Email: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____ Phone: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____ Phone: _____

Medical Information: Does the participant have any medical condition that the instructor should be aware of? (i.e., Diabetes, ADD, asthma, seizures, etc.) If yes, please explain:

Photos: I give permission for my child to be video taped or photographed by the Town of Buckeye employees to be used at the site for activities and for any program advertisements for the Town of Buckeye.

Parent /Guardian Signature: _____

Program Registration

Registration Fees

Participant (1)

Last Name:	First Name:	Special Requests: (team/coach)	Course Fee:
Course Number:	Course Title:	Nearest/Designated School:	\$1 Donation Youth Assist.: (Optional)
Birth Date/Age:	Please Circle: M / F	T-Shirt Size: (Please Circle) Youth Med. Youth Large Adult Small Adult Med. Adult Large Adult XL	Total:

Participant (2)

Last Name:	First Name:	Special Requests: (team/coach)	Course Fee:
Course Number:	Course Title:	Nearest/Designated School:	\$1 Donation Youth Assist.: (Optional)
Birth Date/Age:	Please Circle: M / F	T-Shirt Size: (Please Circle) Youth Med. Youth Large Adult Small Adult Med. Adult Large Adult XL	Total:

Participant (3)

Last Name:	First Name:	Special Requests: (team/coach)	Course Fee:
Course Number:	Course Title:	Nearest/Designated School:	\$1 Donation Youth Assist.: (Optional)
Birth Date/Age:	Please Circle: M / F	T-Shirt Size: (Please Circle) Youth Med. Youth Large Adult Small Adult Med. Adult Large Adult XL	Total:

Returned checks will be charged a \$25 bank service fee.

_____**YES, I want to be considered for a Volunteer COACH position in _____ (sport)**
and I am aware that I must complete a coach application and be finger printed

I/we hereby release and forever discharge the Town of Buckeye, an Arizona municipal corporation, its elected and appointed officials, directors, officers, boards, commissions, agents, representatives, servants and employees, and any and all other persons, firms or corporations who are or might be liable from any and all claims of any kind or character which I/we have or may have against them due to my participation, or my child's participation, in a Town of Buckeye recreation program. The waiver includes all damages, losses, costs, expenses, and injuries that allegedly occur during the course of the recreation program. In that regard, I/we consent to indemnify, defend and hold harmless to the fullest extent permitted by law the foregoing persons and entities from any loss or damages, including reasonable attorney's fees and litigation expenses, which may be incurred by them in the event any such claims are asserted against them or any of them. I/we understand that medical claims are my/our responsibility. I/we give permission for my child to be video taped or photographed by the Town of Buckeye employees to be used at the site for activities and for any program advertisements for the Town of Buckeye. This waiver does not extend to any such claim or liability that is caused by the sole and exclusive intentional acts or gross negligence of the Town of Buckeye, its officers, employees, or agents.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

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